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In Application of : BOTTOM-DASKAL et al.

Serial No. : 09/557,256

: Group Art Unit: 278-2133

Filed : April 24, 2000

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For : ANALYSIS OF NETWORK PERFORMANCE

AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Sir:

In response to an Official Action dated July 8, 2003,  
kindly amend this application as follows.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

Remarks accompanying the amendments begin on page 16.